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CITY ITEMS.

CRAWFORD'S have on sale to-day 750 pleces of Striped Ginghams and Seersuckers at 5c per yard which have never been sold under 75c, and some houses have gotten 16c for the selfsame goods. Get down early.

WIFE SHADOWS HER HUSBAND.

Causes Arrest of Harry Long, Who Eluded Authorities.

Mrs. Mary Long took up the role of detective Monday night, and shadowed her hus-Sixteenth and Pine streets, to Eighth and Chestnut streets, where she had him arrested on the charge of abandonment. Monday, Mrs. Long was informed that her

susband was at the Windsor Hotel. She waited in the vicinity until 1:30 yestershe watted in the vicinity until 1:39 yester-day morning when she saw him come from the hotel and start east. She followed, keeping in the shadows intending to call-upon the first policeman she met to arrest her busband. Eight blocks were traversed before she met Patrolman Mahoney. To him Mrs. Long stated that she had sworn out a warrant in February and that it was in the Sheriff's hands.

in the Sheriff's hands.

Policaman Mahoney arrested Long and took him to the Four Courts.

Mrs. Long stated that she had no settled place of abode since her husband went away and she was cared for by Matron Kintzing in the Four Courts detention room, while her husband, whose footsteps she had dogged, was held prisoner in the same building. Sheriff's hands.

ing.

Investigation of the records in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday divuiged the fact that Long had been arrested and fined, then released on parole under promise to pay his wife \$30 a month. It was for failure to pay this amount that Long was wanted a second time by the authorities.

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TRUSTEES DENY THE CHARGES. the collision.

Declare False Report Was Circulated About Kankakee Hospital.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 5.-Acting Governor Northcott to-day ordered Doctor William Jayne, president of the Illinois State Board of Charities, to make a full investigation of the charges of immorality and cruelty which have been made against the attendants of the Eastern Hospital for Insane at Kanka-kee. An investigation will likely be com-menced next week.

menced next week.
Governor Northcott received a lengthy report from the Board of Trustees of the asylum, in which the members deny any knowledge of the charges, and invite an investigation. They allege that the stories published in many papers of the conduct existing at the institution was done for political pur-poses. Governor Northcott, in an answer to the board, states that an investigation of affairs meets with his hearty approval.

The Only Through Car Line To Northern Michigan summer resorts via Chicago is operated by the Illinois Central. Ticket Office, No. 308 North Broadway.

ENDS HER LIFE WITH POISON.

Minnie Smith Takes Carbolic Acid While Intoxicated.

Minnie Smith, 26 years old, took carbollo acid in her room at No. 813 Market street yesterday morning about 6:30 o'clock and died three hours later at the City Hospital.

The woman's friends told Policeman Coakley that she and a man named Fred Fucus
were intoxicated Monday night and that she
took the poison while drunk.

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Indian Clerks Appointed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Vinita, I. T., Aug. 5.—Judge Joseph A. Gill of the Northern District of the indian Territory has announced the appointment of deputy clerks for the court towns of the Northern District as follows: Nowata, W. S. Irwin (Mr. Irwin has resigned his position as Deputy Revenue Collector for the Interior Department in order to accept the clerkship): T. Morehouse to be deputy of Claremore, and J. C. Johnson is assigned to the Pryor Creek Court.

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Collinsville Gala Day. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Colinsville, Ill., Aug. 5.—Thursday's parade and pičnic promises to be the largest ever witnessed in Collinsville. No business will be transacted in town that day and all miners will be off duty. One hundred and fifty-nine prizes will be awarded at the afternoon tournament, and a cook stove and diamond going to the couple publicly married at the park.

Lindell Hotel Turkish Baths. New and modern. Now open to patronage.

Send Funds to Strikers. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Du Quoin, Ill., Aug. 5.—More than \$700 have been sent to National Secretary Wilson from Du Quoin to aid the striking miners in Pennsylvania. Five hundred of this amount came from the treasurer of the local mine workers' union.

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SINKS LAKE STEAMER

Ore-Laden City of Venice Run Down by the Seguin and Three Lives Are Lost.

CAUSE OF ACCIDENT IN DOUBT.

Lights of Doomed Vessel All Burning Brightly, With No Fog to Obscure Them-Mate of Other Ship Is Silent.

Cleveland, Aug. 5,-As a result of a collision on Lake Erie between the steamer City of Venice, ore laden, and the steamer Seguin, a steel lumber vessel, off Dondeau, Canada, last midnight, the former vessel was sunk and three lives lost, while several other persons were more or less seriously injured.

PETER SIMONDSON, fireman, Brecklyn, N. Y. THOMAS FLANIGAN, deckman1, Buffalo, GEORGE WEIR, watchman, residence un known.

Injujred: John Sullivan, Chicago; J. A. McDougal, Cheboygan, Mich.; Leu's Hubscher, Cheboygan,

The cause of the collision is not known There was no fog whatever, and the night was fairly clear. The lights of the City of Venice were burning brightly. To this both the passenge's and crew testify, saying they could see the lights on the Venice as she was sinking.

Mate Refuses to Make Statement. The second mate of the Seguin, W. A. Lavigne, who was on watch, refused absolutely to give any information in regard to

the way the accident occurred. "The less said about it the better," the only statement he would make. The City of Venice, laden with 3,600 tons

or ore, was bound to Buffalo, while the Seguin was going north to Parry Sound from Ogdensburg. On board the Seguin all were asleep save the second mate, W. A. band, Harry Long, from the Windsor Hotel | Lavigne, and the watchman, who was with him in the pilot-house

The first mate of the Venice, Sullivan. was on watch aboard the boat that went

The first that was known that anything had happened was a terrible crash, which brought both boats almost to a standstill. The Seguin had struck the Venice fairly amidships and plowed its way half through the bont. The crew and passengers - ---the boats heard a tearing of timbers mingled with calls for help from those al-

All those who were sleeping rushed out on deck, and there was a frightful panic for a time. The Venice, which had been split in two, was sinking rapidly. Captain Broderick, of the boat, ran on deck in his sleeping robes, and immediately called the men to the lifeboat.

ready on deck

Frightened Men Leap Into Water. The members of the crew who had not been hurt rushed to his assistance, and in five minutes they had the boat in the Several of the men, fearing the boat would sink before they had an opportunity to escape, threw themselves overboard. They were later picked up by the

lifeboais from the Seguin. First Mate Sullivan of the City of Venice, who is lying in a critical condition at the Marine Hospital, rallied slightly this afternoon, and made a statement regarding

"I was on the night watch," he said, "It was something after midnight when I first saw another boat ahead. It was still some distance away, but I blew the whistle to signal the boat. She did not answer. I thought that it was strange, but as she was some distance away I made no attempt to get out of the way.

"All our lights were burning, and there was no fog. When the boat was considerably closer I whistled again, but still there was no answer. I was then frightened, and signaled still another time. I saw that we were not seen; at least, there was no attention paid to our signals and the boat was bearing directly down upon

"I then attempted to get out of the way, but it was too late.".

ST. LOUISANS AT WASHINGTON.

Letter Carriers Viewing the Sights

at National Capital.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Aug. 5.-A jolly party of letter carriers from St. Louis, bound on a tour through the Eastern cities on pleasure bent, is at Washington. The party is composed of Joseph F. Burd, John F. Costello, William J. Walsh and William C. Ryan, They have been in the city for several days, taking in the sights and visiting the public buildings.

Speaking of the efforts put forth at the speaking of the efforts put forth at the last session of Congress to further the letter carriers' "increase in salary bill," the St. Louis boys highly commended the work done by their national secretary, E. D. J. Cantwell, whose office is in this city. They expect to visit Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York and return by way of Pittsburg to St. Louis.

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Perry County Assessment.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Du Quoin, Ill., Aug. 5.-According to the County Assessor's figures, which he has just given to the public, the assessed valuation of personal property in Perry County for the year 1902 is \$258,383, an increase over 1901 of \$17,002. The total assessed valuation of real estate, personal and railroad property in the county for 1902 is \$1,807,374. The Assessor reports 1,323 dogs.

Missouri Militia Reunion.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Hartville, Mo., Aug. 5.—Company G. Seventy-fourth Missouri Militia, will hold a reunion at Seymour next Friday, being the fortieth anniversary of the organization of that company at Hazelwood, Webster County.

Coffeen Telephone Franchise.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Coffeen, Ill., Aug. 5.—At the meeting of the City Council last night that body granted the Citizens' Mutual Telephone Company a twenty-five-year franchise to control and operate a telephone system

The Fishing Season

Is now open in Wisconsin and Michigan. Low rates are in effect to all points reached by the ample and convenient train service of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway from Chicago. The interesting booklets on Game Laws and "Hints to Tourists," issued by the Northwestern Line, should be in the hands of every sportsman. Rates, booklets and full information on application at Ticket Office, 505 Olive street.

Farmer Kills Negro.

Henderson, Ky., Aug. 5.—John O'Brien, a prominent farmer, shot and killed Ed Rudy, a negro, on his farm, eight miles south of this city yesterday. He says he found the negro stealing apples and the negro attacked him with a club. O'Brien used a shotgun at close range. He is now under guard. His examining trial will be held tomorrow.

ANNEXATION OF CUBA FREELY DISCUSSED

Question Said to Be Giving President Much Concern and Beet-Sugar Men a Great Deal More.

REGARDED INEVITABLE.

Senator Morgan and Representative Newlands Among Those Who Have Come Out Openly in Favor of the Policy.

14th St. and Pennsylvania Ave. Washington, Aug. 5.-Republican leaders who are in close touch with the administration say that the question of Cuban annexation is giving the President considerable concern, and it is asserted that he will call in consultation, regarding this matter, the leading men of his party. If the President realizes the gravity of the situation, what can be said of the beetsugar and sugar-cane producers, who were instrumental in defeating a bill establishing reciprocal relations with the Cuban Re-

From their standpoint, the argument against annexation is five times as strong and weighty as the argument against a reduction of only 20 per cent in the sugar duties.

As a matter of fact, it is said, the majority of the planters and nearly all of the business interests in the island have favored annexation ever since Cuba ceased to be a Spanish possession and there is no doubt that they have been impressed by the prosperity which free trade has brought to Porto Rico.

The recent utterances of General Leand Consul General Bragg upon the Cuban situation have made considerable of an impression on the American people who have little faith in the stability of South American Republics. General Lee's bount declaration that the famure of reciprocity means anarchy with annexation as an inevitable outcome is the opinion of a man whose familiarity with the theater of action in Cuba cannot be questioned.

Favor Annexation of Cuba. In discussing General Lee's views, Representative Newlands, who introduced in the House resolutions inviting Cuba to become a part of the United States, said:

"I consider Geneval Lee such an authority on Cuban matters that his recent statement cannot be disputed. He enjoys the confidence of the members of both parties and knows the Cuban situation thoroughly. I shall never forget the very interesting statement he made before one of the House committees on the wonderful resources of Cuba, the fertility of her soil and the millions of dollars that were going to waste because of the woeful lack of enterprise in the island.

Mr. Newlands remarked that the large element in Cuba who favored annexation feared at the present time to propose such a step for fear it would precipitate a revolution, as the men who now hold the balance of power in the island would naturally object to relinquishing their grasp on affairs when the sweets of attubority were so new to them.

"An invitation from this country to Cuba to become a part of the Urited States," continued Mr. Newlands, "is absolutely necessary in order to disarm any suspicion of the country that she might become a mile when the states in the boiling water was, At the time of the accident no one was in the house. Flora Yaker, 29 months old, and Arthur Yaker, 4 years old, children of Victor Yaker, 4 years old, children of Victor Yaker, 4 years old, children of Victor Yaker, 6 No. 217 Trudeau street, were badly scaled yesterday morning by turning over a tub of boiling water. The girl's injuries are perhaps fatal Mrs. Yaker was preparing to do the week's washing, and had partly filled a tub, which was standing on a chair, with hot waiter. The baby, who had just awakeplaying on the floor, and while its mother was not watching attempted to rise by calculations of the tub. The chair slipped and the boiling water was, At the time of the accident no one was in the house.

Flora Yaker, 29 months old, and Arthur Yaker, 4 years old, children of Victor Yaker, 4 years old, children of Vi

on her part that she might become a military dependency such as the Philippines." Senator Morgan of Alabama comes out flat-footed for Cuban annexation. "Cuba," said the Senator, "is as necessary to the United States as Ireland is to Great Britain. It is unnecessary to refer to the fact that this has been recognized since the days of Thomas Jefferson. Every

far-sighted American knows to-day, as every far-sighted American has recognized in the past, that Cuba must eventually become a part of the United States." "I am inclined to agre with Mr. Newlands that the time has come when we should take a decisive step toward Cuban

CLOSING DAY OF CHAUTAUQUA.

annexation."

Operetta Will Be Sung as Fare well Entertainment at Piasa.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Chautauqua, Ill., Aug. 5.—The Reverend Doctor A. W. Lamar of Nashville, Tenn., lectured again this afternoon to the Chautauquans on "The South Since the War." The lecture was preceded by an exhibition of the Kindergarten School. This evening Frank S. Regan delivered a lecture on "Modern Man, the Latest Edition."

"Modern Man, the Latest Edition." This lecture was preceded by a short music programme by the Doubt family orchesira and a number of readings by Mrs. Wilda Stutzman of Athens, Ill.

The stockholders of the Plasa Chautauqua held their annual meeting to-day and elected five directors as follows: J. C. Kupferle, P. F. Vanderlippe and Attorney Matt Lubke of St. Louis, Colonel W. H. Fulkerson of Jerseyville, Colonel A. F. Rodgers of Upper Alton.

To-morrow will be the last day of the present session, and the principal attraction will be the present session, and the principal attraction will be the presentation of the operatia, "The Merry Cyclers" in the Tabernacle in the ovening under the direction of Professor M. Edwin Johnson, director of music in the East St. Louis schools. Young people from St. Louis and East St. Louis will be in the cast, and the C., P. & St. L. R. R. will run special trains to Alton and Jerseyville after the entertainment to accommodate the visitors. ville after the entertainment to accomm

date the visitors.

The steamer J. S. came in from Clarks-ville, Mo., to-day with a crowd of Sunday school children aboard. The City of Providence also came in from St. Louis with an excursion. dence also came in from St. Louis with an excursion.

Joe L. Stephens of St. Louis was here today with his yacht, the Phi Alpha, and entertained a number of Chautauqua friends
with a trip up the Illinois River.

Colonel Lew Harper of the Southern Hotel returned to St. Louis this evening after
a visit of several days at Chautauqua.

Among St. Louis persons registered at the
Piasa Spring Hotel are: Thomas W. Sessinghaus, H. Rea Fitch, Mott Lubke and
Mrs. Lubke. Miss Katherine O'Hailaran,
Miss May Hoffman, W. E. Mount, Joe L.
Stephens.

Among those registered at the Piasa
Spring Hotel from other points are: Marvin Hart of Rockbridge, Ill.; Walter Wiles
of Greenfield, Ill.; George S. Cowdery of
Leadville, Colo; Mrs. D. Blodgeti of
Brighton, Ill.; Truman Chapman of Jerseyville; M. S. Brown of Brighton, Ill.; Newton Cunningham of Alton; J. K. Cadwallader of McClusky, Ill.; Miss Mary Elizabeth Davis of Carrollton, Ill.; J. R. Fulkerson of Jerseyville; Earl Forwood of Piasa,
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SOUTHERN LIME TRUST FORMED

Secret Combine Advances Price Six Cents a Bushel. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 5.-Southern lime manufacturers have formed a trust. All small concerns were recently absorbed and prices advanced 6 cents per bushel. The plans for the combine have been in progress plans for the combine have been in progress for more than a year.

Recently the combine was recreily formed.
The reasons given for the advance are that lime has been selling so low there was little profit in its manufacture.

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CHILDREN BURNED IN BOILING WATER

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Fatal Injuries in Accidents With Wash Tubs.

While her mother was going downstairs for apail of eistern water, Mabel Krebs, 1-year-old child of Mrs. Emily Krebs of No. 1432 Dodler street, crawled over to a tub of hot water and climbed into it, scalding herself severely about the arms and left side.

When Mrs. Krebs returned she found the child splashing in the scalding water in a frantic effort to climb out of the tu's.

Rushing to its aid she picked the baby up and placed it on a sheet. Neighbors'

wounds, and stated that he thought the baby would not recover. Mrs. Krebs explains that the accident occurred while she was in the yard drawing cistern water to use in rinsing clothes which she was washing. She placed the baby in the next room, and did not think it would be able to crawl to the tub, where

and the boiling water poured all over the child, scalding its face and body.

Arthur attempted to save his sister and was severely burned about the arms and legs. Doctor E. L. Frielingsdorf, of No. 2200 South Broadway, was called. He dressed the injuries of the children, and pronounced the condition of the girl to be seri-

CLASSMATES FOLLOWED BIER.

of Overstudy. The funeral of Miss Flora Roeder, which took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, No. 6369 Easton avenue, was made doubly pathetic by the presence of a large number of girls and

Flora Roeder's Death Was Result

boys, schoolmates of the dead girl. M'ss Roeder was graduated at the head of her class from the Lincoln School last June, and was preparing for a High School course when her fatal timess overtook her. On Friday, June 12, Miss Roeder was one of thirteen girls who took part in the closing exerches at the Lincoln School, She read an essay entitled "Our Labor's Re-ward," and was complimented for her ef-

forts.
In July she fell ill from the effects of over-Miss Emma C. Meyer, the girl's teacher, was at her bedside through her illness, and followed her request by arranging that her classmates should serve as pallbearers.

The twelve girls who were Miss Roeder's the tweive girls who were alles Rocter's classmates are: Myrtle Olive Winenow, Mary Loretta Toohey, Estelle Marie Pironi, Ida R. Ofner, Gretchen E. Noll. Caroline Bloreell, Hazel W. Keefe, Hazel Wagoner Gregory, Nellie C. Fox, Louisa Pauline Ehrhardt, Jessie Mosslyne Cutter and Nama Brill

TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS TO-DAY. Rock River Assembly Class Will

Go Through Golden Gate. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dixon, Ill., Aug. 5.-The Normal Bible class at the Rock River Chautaugua had for its topic this morning, "The Christ and His Reception." The Reverend H. H. Blancke of Davenport delivered the lecture. Mrs. Kerr's class in parliamentary law studied declamatory motions and points of order. This afternoon Grace W. Beelman made her first appearance in a cornet solo and Katherine Eggelston gave a series of im-personations. The Chautauqua Round personations. The Chautauqua Round Table listened to a lecture by the Reverend Table listened to a lecture by the Reverend W. C. Spencer on the advantage of education. This evening the Dixle Jubilee Singers gave a plantation concert.

To-morrow is a special day-recognition day. The graduates of the four-year course for 1902 will pass through the golden gate. The Reverend George Jackson of Edinburgh, Scotland, will present the diplomas.

Arrested at Penitentiary Gate.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 5.—Sheriff Joseph Henderson to-day arrested A. J. Murphy at the prison gate as he was released after serving a two-year sentence for horse stealing in Laciede County. The arrest was made at the request of Marshall Ed Love of Sedalia, who arrived to-day and took Murphy back to Pettis County, where he will be tried for horse stealing. Murphy admitted his guilt and will throw himself upon the mercy of the court.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Brenham, Tex., Aug. 5.—Mrs. F. Boenker, aged 45 years, committed suicide at her home near Washington, in this county, at 7 o'clock this morning. Brooding over the tragic death of her husband, who was killed in a runaway, and the loss of her crop this year by the Brazos flood, were the causes of her action. She leaves one son and a brother, C. H. Bohne, who is a prominent business man here. inent business man here.

Joung Van Horne Has Typhoid Fever New York, Aug. 5.—R. R. VanHorne, son of President VanHorne, of the Cuban Railroad, who was sent to Swinburne Island yesterday from the steamer Curityba, from Cuba, has developed tyhpoid fever. Arrangements are being made to transfer him to some hospital in Mannattan, where ce can receive better care.

First Cotton at Terrell. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Terrell. Tex., Aug. 5.—The first bale of this season's cotton sold here to-day at cents, classed strict middling.

YEARNS TO KILL HER FATHER'S MURDERER

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Two Babies Sustain What May Be Governor of Georgia May Be Asked to Prevent Woman From Hanging a Negro.

> REPUBLIC SPECIAL Savannah, Ga., Aug. 5.—Considerable interest is manifested throughout Georgia regarding the request made by Mrs. Eliq. Hall of Berrien County, to the Sheriff that she be permitted to spring the trap at the execution of Boisey Bryant, who killed her

Public opinion is greatly divided, and the Governor may be asked to interfere. Mrs. Hall frankly admitted to-day that it is both her wish and intention to spring the children ran to the office of Doctor Samuel death trap of Bryant, and not only that, Barker at No. 1914 Sullivan avenue, and but also to cut down as body when life when he arrived he examined and dressed shall have become extinct.

"Are you not afraid your nerve will fail you at the scaffold?" she was asked. "No," she replied, "I'm as tender-hearted about other things as most wamen are, but in this it is different. Bryant kined my father in cold blood, and I want to kill him." airs. Hall said taxt, on the night her father died, she was

father died, she was unconscious from worry and grief, or she would have in-sisted that her lather's friends guch Bryant then and there. She has no doubt, she said, that i sae had made the request it would have been carried out. ASKED FOR MANDAMUS AGAINST SECRETARY HAY.

inturalized German Would Compel Him to Proceed Against Germany for False Imprisonment.

Washington, Aug. 5.-Ferdinand Holzendorf to-day petitioned the District Supreme Court for a mandamus against Secretary of State Hay to compel the latter to institute proceedings against the Empire of Germany or the Kingdom of Prussia or both to re-cover \$560,000 damages for himself for alleged unjust detention in a German insane Justice Hagner refused to issue the writ,

holding that the matter was political and legal right to the writ had not been Holzendorf is a native of Germany and a Holzenderf is a native of Germany and a naturalized citizen of this country. He alleged that, while hearing a passport from the United States Government, on May II. 1898, he was falsely imprisoned in an insane nelyum at Dalldorff, near Berlin, and detained there until July 8, 1899, when he was declared to be of sound mind by the highest court in Germany.

He demanded a trial by jury and asserted that the State Department's refusal to act is based on ir elevant matters twenty years.

is hased on ir elevan; matters twenty year anterior to this petition.

PLUMBERS ASK HIGHER WAGES. Masters and Journeymen Confer Without Definite Result.

At the meeting of the Building Trades' Council Friday night the result of the conference Monday night between committees from the Master Plumbers' Association and the Journeymen Plumbers' Association will be reported and definite action taken.

The conference is called to discuss the proposition advanced by the journeymen for a raise in wages to \$5 for an eight-hour day, to take effect September 1. The present scale of wages is \$4 for an eight-hour day.

conference Monday, which was at The conference alongay, which was altended by Master Flumbers John J. Fay, Fred Abel, Edward Schuster, C. F. Walters, Jr., and James P. Carroll, and a committee from the Journeymen Plumbers' Union, headed by Otto Moos, business agent, discussed the proposition for the advance informally, but left the matter open, as the Journeymen were not empowered to take formally, but left the matter open, as the journeymen were not empowered to take final action. The proposition, it is said, has not received the sanction of the Building Trades' Council. The matter has already been up before that body for two readings, and it will require its approval at a third meeting before the subordinate body is authorized to take final action.

The master plumbers are not disposed to look with favor on the request for an advance in wages, and although individual members have signified their willingness to secode to the request, the association as a body, it is said, will oppose consent to such action, and a strike may result if the terms of the journeymen are not conceded. The representatives of the journeymen's union refuse to dicuss their plans.

MISSIONARY BOARD MEETING.

Presbyterian Women Discuss Interests of the Southwest.

The Presbyterian Woman's Foreign Mis sion Board of the Southwest held its bimonthly meeting yesterday at No. 1416 Locust street. The lesson for the day was given by Mrs. Prentles from John xii, 20—27. Mrs. S. I. Lindsay read a paper on "Chinese and Japanese in America." A cheery letter was read from Mrs. Hoag in reference to the work in Kansas. Word was received from Mrs. Williams, who is now at Mackinac Island, stating that her health was somewhat improved. Word was received that Mrs. Jennie Sherman Grierson, who was for years missionary to Ind's from the Southwes' Board, but who is now of the China Inland Mission, stating that her visit in Kansas was being much enjoyed, it was also reported that Mrs. McClure of Slam and Mrs. Garvin of Valpariaso, S. A., will arrive in this country in the early fall. cust street. The lesson for the day was

To Attend Elks' Grand Lodge. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Aug. 5.—C. Mason Philipot, delegate; Mayor Douglass C. Bell, alternate; Grand Chutlain Davenport Buckner, and a number of other Pine Bluff citizens, left teday for Salt Lake City to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Elks.

Business Reverses Caused Snicide. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Wichita, Kas., Aug. 5.—Frank Walker committed suicide here to-day. Business affairs caused despondency, though he had \$2.00 in bank at time of death.

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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS. -Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Frengs of Pekin, Ill., re at the Planters. are at the Planters.

-Mrs. P. L. Strong of Memphis, Tenn., is a guest at the Southern.

-J. R. King of Council Grove, Kas., is stopping at the Laclede.

-A. W. Lorie of Sedan, Kas., arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday. -A. W. Well of Denver, Colo., spet yes-terday at the Lindell. -William H. Hopkins, Jr., of Columbus.
O., is registered at the Planters.
-Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rush of Peorla, Ill., were at the Southern yesterday.

Thomas Wade of Battle Creek, Mich. is ing, escaped from the jail here last night at the Luclede. -Mirs Maggie Dirtz of Mason City is a guest at the St. Nicholas. -Alexander L. Adams of Gatesville, Tex., as rooms at the Lindell. -Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cohen of Sydney, Australia, are at the Planters. -Julius Runge of Galveston, Tex. was at the Southern yesterday. -Ralph Davenport of Allegheny, Pa., is guest at the Laclede. -E. D. Barrows of LaPorte, Ind., spent sterday at the St. Nicholas. -J. E. Frazier of Kansas City, Mo., is opping at the Lindell. -Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Enright of Lexington, Ky., are at the Planters.

-H. G. Wheelock of Cleveland, O., has rooms at the Southern.
-J. S. Smith of Payne, O., spent yesterday at the Laciede. -B. L. Hamilton of New Orleans, La., is a guest at the St. Nicholas.
-D. R. Mend of Greeley, Colo., is a guest at the Lindell.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR TEXAS.

General Roberts of Austin Discusses Crop and Oil Prospects.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Aug. 5 .- "In all the years that I have lived in Texas I have never seen such a long-continued downpour of rain seen such a long-continued downpour of rain as recently fed upon nearly every acre of land in the State, said General A. S. Roberts, a prominent citizen of Austin. "The rain came down in heavy sheets for a week, with starcely any intermission and all our rivers were booming, causing big overflows and doing considerable harm to the crops in the lowlands along the Brazos. But the soaking did far more good than damage, for most of the deluged country had been needing rain for many weeks. The result will be the biggest cotton crop in the history

be the biggest cotton crop in the histor of Texas, unless worms should invade th fields.

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Cherokee Legislature Race. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Vinita, L. T., Aug. 5.-A. L. Ballard has withdrawn from the race for member of the Cherokee Legislature in Delaware District to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Andrew Hyder. James Daniels was also a candidate representing the same party as Ballard and they met at Grove Saturday and proposed to pitch dollars and the loser should withdraw from the race. Ballard took "heads" and Daniels took "tails" and tails won, so Ballard withdrew and is now supporting Daniels.

W. W. Ward of Maysville, Ark., and O. A. Smith of Fairland are also nominees on the same ticket, with Daniels and are all running against Moses O'Fleids, a full-blood Cherokee Indian, on the national ticket. Moses O'Fleids is in favor of the Cherokee treaty and will vote for it. Cherokee Legislature in Delaware District

DR. W. H. ECKERT, OSTEOPATH, Room 657, Century Bldg., 9th & Olive. FREDERICK H. TODD MARRIED. Miss A. Grace Clarkson of Green-

ville, Ill., His Bride. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Greenville, Ill., Aug. 5.-Mr. Frederick H. Todd of St. Louis and Hiss A. Grace Clarkon were married at the residence of the son were married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Clar'son, in this city at 3 o'clock this morning. They departed immediately for a trip to the Northern resorts. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Thomas W. Hines, in the presence of only immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs-Todd will be at home August 19 at No. 3554 Delmar boulevard, St. Louis.

TWO BREAK JAIL AT VANDALIA. Prisoners Cut Through Brick Wall

With Chisel. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Vandalia, Ill., Aug. 5.-William Selby and George Lindsey burgiary and the later with chicken steal-

by cutting through the brick wall with a chisel. Mrs. McDonald, wife of the jailer, heard them, and, suspecting they were trying to escape, gave the alarm, but they were out escape, gave the alarm, but they were out and gone by the time assistance arrived. Selby was in jail charged with robbing the general store of B. F. Enloe at Hagers-town last May, and early this morning this same store was broken into again. It is believed that after escaping, Selby went to Hagerstown and repeated his act of last May.

85-Louisville and Return-85. Southern Rallway, August 16th.

Burned to Death in Explosion. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Beaumont, Tex., Aug. 5.—Nanie Sleezer, 18 years old, is dead of burns received in the explosion of a gasoline can from which she was filing the full tank of a stove. She came to Point Neches a few months before with her parents, Charles Sleezer and wife, from Campus, Livingston County, III.

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